

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Senate Journal

Ninety-First Regular Session

3:54 P.M.

Wednesday, June 15, 1994

The Senate met.

The Senate was called to order by Brian D. Rude, President of the Senate.

In accordance with Joint Rule 81(2), it is moved that the Legislature shall meet in Extended/Extraordinary Session at 1:00 P.M., June 15, 1994 solely for the consideration of the following business:

To amend section 24(6)(a) of article IV of the constitution, relating to authorizing a sports lottery, with the proceeds dedicated to athletic facilities (first consideration).

Senate Organization Committee:

Ayes, 4 -- Senators Ellis, Rude, Farrow and Jauch; Noes, 1 -- Senator Risser;

Assembly Organization Committee:

Ayes, 8 -- Representatives Kunicki, Travis, Carpenter, Potter, Notestein, Prosser, Welch and Jensen;

Noes, 0 -- None.

Senator Ellis, with unanimous consent, asked that the calling of the roll, the prayer and the pledge be dispensed with.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

State of Wisconsin

Department of Transportation

June 6, 1994

To the Honorable the Legislature:

To Governor Tommy Thompson, Chief Clerk of the Assembly and Chief Clerk of the Senate:

This report is required by 1991 Wisconsin Act 269. This law allows a person to have their personal identifiable information withheld from public lists used for marketing. It is referred to as the "Opt Out" provision and was implemented on April 1, 1993.

The law requires the department to withhold information when the record contains an "Opt Out" indicator and the request is for 10 or more driver license or vehicle records. The "Opt Out" provision does not affect the data requested for law enforcement activities, state and federal agency authorized functions, administration of the vehicle recall notification program, billing or paying insurance claims, writing and renewing insurance policies and related underwriting activities.

The total number of "Opt Out" indicators, as of March 1, 1994, is 1576. This number is from three separate

record series that reside in different data bases. The driver record has 629 indicators, the physically disabled ID card parking file has 30, and the vehicle registration record has 917. Considering the size of the data bases involved, 3.5 million drivers, 200,000 disabled ID Cards and 4.2 million vehicle records, these numbers are very low.

Although the law did not require the department to publicize the "Opt Out" option, a press release was issued on April 20, 1993. Since that time, occasional media contacts have been made that temporarily raise awareness of the "Opt Out" provision. For example, in late 1993, a Milwaukee Television Station mentioned the "Opt Out" provision during a story on privacy. The following day, 73 persons called the department to request the "Opt Out" form.

Sincerely,
Charles H. Thompson
Secretary

State of Wisconsin
Ethics Board

June 14, 1994

To the Honorable the Senate:

At the direction of s. 13.685(7), Wisconsin Statutes, I am notifying you of changes in the Ethics Board's records of licensed lobbyists and their employers.

Organization's authorization of additional lobbyists: The following organization previously registered with the Ethics Board as an employer of lobbyists has authorized to act on its behalf an additional licensed lobbyist:

Farm Bureau Federation, Wisconsin

Zimmerman, Paul

Organization's termination of lobbyists: Each of the following organizations previously registered with the Ethics Board as the employer of a lobbyist has withdrawn, on the date indicated, its authorization for the lobbyist identified to act on the organization's behalf.

Academic Staff Public Representation Organization (ASPRO)

Becker, Dismas 6/13/94

Fraternal Congress, Wisconsin

Becker, Dismas 6/10/94

Homecare Organization, Wisconsin

Moore, Detlef 6/7/94

Also available from the Wisconsin Ethics Board are reports identifying the amount and value of time state agencies have spent to affect legislative action and reports of expenditures for lobbying activities filed by the organizations that employ lobbyists.

Sincerely,
R. Roth Judd
Executive Director

SENATE CLEARINGHOUSE ORDERS

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 93-204

Relating to the maximum cost share for manure storage facilities.

Submitted by Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.

Report received from agency, June 13, 1994.

Referred to committee on Transportation, Agriculture, Local and Rural Affairs, June 15, 1994.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 93-241

Relating to fees for review of construction and remodeling plans for hospitals, nursing homes, facilities for the developmentally disabled and community-based residential facilities for more than 20 residents, and for review of plans for sprinkler systems for community-based residential facilities of any size.

Submitted by Department of Health and Social Services.

Report received from agency, June 13, 1994.

Referred to committee on Health, Human Services and Aging, June 15, 1994.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-79

Relating to establishing individual investor financial suitability standards.

Submitted by Office of the Commissioner of Securities.

Report received from agency, June 8, 1994.

Referred to committee on Financial Institutions and Cultural Affairs, June 15, 1994.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-48

Relating to hunting, trapping and motorboat use.

Submitted by Department of Natural Resources.

Report received from agency, June 10, 1994.

Referred to committee on Environment and Energy, June 15, 1994.

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 94-61

Relating to the renewal of plumbing licenses and continuing educational requirements.

Submitted by Department of Industry, Labor and Human Relations.

Report received from agency, June 14, 1994.

Referred to committee on Human Resources, Labor, Tourism, Veterans and Military Affairs, June 15, 1994.

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Thomas T. Melvin, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has adopted and asks concurrence in:

Assembly Joint Resolution 145

MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY
CONSIDERED

Assembly Joint Resolution 145

Relating to retroactive exemption of 1993 Senate Joint Resolution 49 from adverse disposal and extension and adjournment of floorperiod IV.

By committee on Assembly Organization.

Read.

Considered as privileged and taken up.

The question was: Concurrence?

The ayes and noes were required and the vote was: ayes, 18; noes, 14; absent or not voting, 1; as follows:

Ayes — Senators Andrea, Breske, Burke, Ellis, Farrow, George, Huelsman, Jauch, Lorman, Moore, Panzer, Petak, Plewa, Potter, Rosenzweig, Rude, Wineke and Zien — 18.

Noes — Senators Adelman, Buettner, Chvala, Clausing, Cowles, Decker, Drzewiecki, Helbach, Lasec, Lekan, Moen, Risser, Schultz and Weeden — 14.

Absent or not voting — Senator Darling — 1.

Concurred in.

Senator Ellis, with unanimous consent, asked that all action be ordered immediately messaged.

Senator Ellis, with unanimous consent, asked that the Senate adjourn pursuant to **Assembly Joint Resolution 145**.

4:28 P.M.